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FM AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2577

INFO AMCONSUL ZAGREB

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PASS GOLDEN, DEPT OF LABOR

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ELAB, YO

SUBJ:DOL SEMINARS

REF: BELGRADE 1473

1. IN PRELIMINARY MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF WOODWORKING AND FURNITURE INDUSTRIES, YUGOSLAVS SUGGESTED HOLDING PRODUCTIVITY SEMINAR FURNITURE INDUSTRY IN BELGRADE DURING BELGRADE FURNITURE FAIR, NOV 17-20, 1975. THEY ALSO EMPHASIZED NEED FOR US SPECIALIST VISIT PRIOR SUMMER VACATION SEASON. EMBASSY RESPONDED THESE ISSUES WOULD BE SUBJECT OF DISCUSSION DURING GOLDEN VISIT. EMBASSY AGREES HOWEVER THAT PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE SHOWS YUGOSLAV SIDE WILL NOT BE ABLE ACT DURING SUMMER HOLIDAYS.

2. YUGOSLAVS ALSO INFORMED EMBASSY THAT FRIDAY MAY 9 IS UNOFFICIAL HOLIDAY (30TH ANNIVERSARY VICTORY OVER NAZI GERMANY) AND THAT MONDAY MAY 5 COMING DIRECTLY AFTER LONG MAY-DAY HOLIDAYS IS NOT RELIABLE WORKING DAY. EMBASSY SUGGESTS, IF POSSIBLE, GOLDEN ARRIVE MAY 5, WHICH WILL ALLOW SUBSEQUENT THREE DAYS FOR APPOINTMENTS, INCLUDING POSSIBLE VISIT ZAGREB. PLEASE ADVISE GOLDEN ITINERARY ASAP AS IT WILL BE DIFFICULT TO ARRANGE APPOINTMENTS AFTER APR 25, SINCE MANY YUGOSLAVS LEAVE THEN FOR EXTENDED MAY-DAY

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